

# The True Northerner.

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PAW PAW, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, JULY 17, 1884.

WHOLE NO. 1530.

Jay Cummings.—Dry Goods, Etc.

## HERE IS THE TICKET AND OUR PRICES.

**CORSETS** at 62 and 98c.  
**LADIES' Corset Covers** 50c.  
**ELEGANT Table Linen** 60c.  
**VELVETS** in all colors 90c.  
**EMBROIDERIES** from 1 cent up.  
**LADIES' Hosiery**—Fine Display.  
**ASK** to see them.  
**NOTTINGHAM** Lace Curtains 25 cts per yard.  
**DAMASK** Linens, Toweling,  
& the best line of Napkins.  
**HARVEST** Gloves at 75c.  
**ELEGANT** White Dress Goods 25c.  
**NEW** Line Gents' Neck-wear 75c.  
**DOUBLE-HIP** Corset 98c.  
**RIBBONS** in All Widths 3 Cts.  
**INDIGO** Blue Print 8 Cts.  
**CHEAPEST** White Skirt 69 Cts.  
**KORRECT** PRICES tell,  
**SO** Come ye one and all.

## TO THE DOUBLE STORE!

I. J. SEE

The Ribbons at 3 cents per yard.

Agricultural Implements.

## YOUNG & HUTCHINS.

DEALERS IN

## Agricultural Implements

Grain and Grass Harvesting Machines,

Bullard & Thompson's Hay Tedders,  
Rakes, both Horse and Hand Dump.

## THE "OLD RELIABLE"

Gorham Cultivator, Acme Cultivator, Acme Harrow, Kemp & Burpee's  
Manure Spreader.

## ECONOMIST PLOW,

Deere & Mansur's Corn and Bean Planter, plants in rows any distance  
from 2 1/2 to 4 feet, and plants the hills in rows any desired distance apart.  
C. W. Young, agent for Pennock Road Machine.

YOUNG & HUTCHINS, Paw Paw, Mich.

Covert & Bartram.—Drugs, Groceries, Etc.

## PAINT! PAINT!

### MIXED PAINT!

## Heath & Milligan's Mixed Paint!

## COVERT & BARTRAM

The Leading Drug, Paint and Wall Paper Men, sole agents for the  
Celebrated Heath & Milligan Mixed Paint. If you are going to use  
Paint, it will pay you big to use our paint; it is the best, has the finest  
gloss, will last longer and preserve your building better, than any paint  
on the market.

Ask Those That have Used It!

Look at the numerous buildings painted with it and see for yourself.  
Give us a call.

## WALL PAPER!

Our Rush on Wall Paper still keeps up. Come and see the Largest and  
Finest stock in the county. Come early and get first choice.

## Our Drug Department

Is always full of Pure Drugs, having always our especial attention  
Come and see us, we will try and please you. If you want Drugs, you  
will find us reasonable in our charges.

## COVERT & BARTRAM,

The Live Druggists and Grocers.

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## Local and Business Notices.

### Dr. G. W. Hilton.

Physician and Surgeon, Paw Paw, Mich.  
Office on Main street, over Covert & Bartram's  
Drug Store. Office hours from 2 to 4 and  
from 7 to 9 p. m. 1539

**W. R. Hawkins & Son.**  
Brokers, Notaries Public and Conveyancers.  
Money to loan and collections made in all  
parts of Van Buren County. Remittances  
promptly made. Office opposite Dyckman  
House, Paw Paw, Mich. 1338ly

**Crocery and Groceries.**  
I have just purchased a new stock of  
crockery, and have my store packed full of  
goods. I sell crockery cheaper than the  
cheapest. Call and be convinced that this is  
no humbug.  
LUKE GILBERT,  
Paw Paw, Mich. 67tf

**Horse Training.**  
Having had several years experience in  
handling colts, I am prepared to train colts  
to be driven either single or double. Ugly  
and vicious horses made him.  
WILBER BABCOCK,  
Paw Paw, Mich. 1424tf

**Money to Loan.**  
Parties desirous of obtaining Loans on  
Good Security, will find it to their advantage  
to call on me. Real estate for sale. Insur-  
ance, Collections, and Conveyancing Solicited  
1505-ly  
HARRY S. RICHARDS,  
Over C. R. Avery's store.

**Photographs.**  
I take pleasure in announcing to the public  
that I have re-opened my Picture Gallery,  
at my old stand, on Main St., in Paw Paw.  
My apparatus is entirely new, and of the  
most approved pattern, and I am prepared  
to take pictures of all kinds in the highest  
style of art. Give me a call and I am sure I  
can please you.  
JOHN BODGES. 51tf

**Omnibus Orders.**  
Leave orders on Dyckman House Gate for  
Warren's bus to all trains and private  
houses. 19tf

**Dental Notice.**  
Dr. C. W. Ward has opened new Dental  
Parlors at No. 103 Main St., Kalamazoo,  
Mich., over Young's book-store, where he  
will be pleased to meet any who may need  
the services of a Dentist. 1461ly

**For Sale.**  
House and two lots in a very desirable  
location in this village, good well and cistern  
water, nicely shaded, good walks, etc. En-  
quire on premises, first door north of the  
town hall. 17tf

**For Ladies.**  
I desire to call attention to my new and  
complete stock of Hair Goods. All the latest  
styles. Langtry Bangs, Bang waves, Mar-  
tinson Bangs, Coquette wavelets, switches,  
combs, bands, toilet articles, etc. etc., at Mrs.  
Odell's Millinery rooms, Paw Paw. 1826643  
MRS. EDNA MARSHALL.

Try one bottle of the Champion Rheumatic  
Remedy. We guarantee it to cure all  
forms of Rheumatism, Neuralgia and Female  
Diseases, or money refunded. For sale at  
Longwell's Drug Store, Paw Paw. 2612027

**Millinery.**  
I have a full and complete assortment of all  
the latest Spring and Summer styles of Hats,  
Bonnets, Feathers, and Trimmings. I have  
an experienced trimmer. Satisfaction guaran-  
teed.  
MRS. H. R. ODELL. 187

**J. A. Leech.**  
House, Sign and Carriage Painter, Paper  
Hanger, and Ceiling Decorator. Shop on  
Gremp's St., Paw Paw. 66ly

**Grange Store Harness Shop.**  
I have a full line of harness, both single  
and double, made from the best oak stock,  
every strap guaranteed. Call and examine  
my goods, and get prices, before purchasing  
elsewhere, and thus realize the benefit to be  
derived from my system of cash prices only.  
In this way you get just what you pay for,  
and pay only for what you get, and do not  
have to help settle old debts made by other  
people. Team harness, light trimmed com-  
plete \$27. Team harness, black trimmed  
complete \$26.  
Yours Etc.,  
G. E. GILMAN. 13tf

**Drive Wells.**  
Salsbury & Scott desire to inform the people  
of Van Buren County that they are in the  
business of repairing pumps and driving  
wells. Have had ten years experience. Leave  
orders at Free & Martin's, Paw Paw. 19tf

**Blacksmithing.**  
Horse Shoeing, Jobbing, and General Black-  
smithing of all kinds well and promptly  
done at the Brick Shop, by  
THOS. J. NICHOLS, Paw Paw. 94ly

**Auction! Auction!**  
To all parties wishing the services of an  
auctioneer. I am prepared to make Farm  
Sales at reasonable rates. 1338tf  
H. W. McCABE, Paw Paw, Mich.

**B. S. Palmer, D. D. S.**  
Dental Rooms corner Main and Kalamazoo  
streets, Paw Paw. All work, both opera-  
tive and mechanical, carefully and thoroughly  
done. 1484ly

**New Wagon Shop.**  
I have opened a wagon shop in the upper  
rooms of the brick blacksmith shop in this  
village, and I am prepared to do all kinds of  
work in my line. Give me a call. 97ly  
B. W. STANTON, Paw Paw, Mich.

**The Emporium.**  
We are prepared to pay the very highest  
market price for Beans, and for Hogs at our  
old stand, on Main street—The Emporium.  
Farmers give us a call before selling else-  
where. 94tf  
CONNER & WOOD.

### Farmers, Take Notice!

I shall keep in stock a complete assortment  
of Points and extras for the following plows:  
Oliver, South Bend chilled, Gale, Diamond,  
Iron, Advance, Dodge, and the Casaday  
Sulkey. C. S. ADAMS, Lawton, Mich. 19tf

### \$20,000 to Loan.

On improved real estate. Inquire of Geo.  
E. Breck, Paw Paw, or E. A. Crane 117 Rose  
street, Kalamazoo. 1tf

### Omnibus Orders.

All orders left at the post office for Bur-  
dick's bus to all trains and private houses  
will meet with prompt attention. 12tf

### Gossamer Garments Free.

To any person who will agree to show our  
goods and try to influence sales among  
friends, we will send, post-paid, two Ladies'  
Gossamer Rubber Waterproof Garments as  
samples, provided you cut this out and re-  
turn with 25 cents to pay postage, cost, etc.  
WINTHROP RUBBER CO.  
274030 Everett, Mass.

### Notice.

All persons are hereby notified that the  
village board will take into consideration the  
closing up of the 8 rods on the north  
end of Gremp's street, known as the Gale's  
addition to the village of Paw Paw, on July  
24, 1884, at 7:30 p. m., at the council rooms,  
as the day of hearing objection to such pro-  
posed action. All objections may be filed  
with the Village Recorder, in writing, on or  
before such date. 2920301

### Dansby.

Is now drawing the famous Voight Lager,  
formerly drawn by Harwick. 12tf

### List of Letters.

Remaining uncalled for in the Post Office  
at Paw Paw, Mich., for the week ending  
July 9th: Miss Mary Case, Mr. Eddie Cross,  
Mrs. Carrie Cross, Stephen B. Davis, Miss  
Lizzie V. Earl, Miss Evie Foster, Mrs. H.  
Jacobs, James Lowery, Joseph Sanders,  
Miss A. Smith, Mr. Louis Thomas, A. H.  
Waters. R. O. BEERE, P. M.

### Joe, The Butcher.

Joe Hanson has returned to Paw Paw,  
purchased Van Dyke's meat market, and sells  
meats at the following prices: Roast 11c.,  
best Round 12 1/2c., best Shoulder Steak 11c.,  
Salt Pork clear 12 1/2c., Mutton 10c. to 12 1/2c.,  
Ham, cut 17c., whole 14c., Bacon 15c., Lard  
12 1/2c. Give him a call. 24tf

### A Run on a Drug Store.

Never was such a rush made for any Drug  
Store as is now at Duncombe, Stearns & Co's  
for a trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discov-  
ery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds.  
All persons affected with Asthma, Bronchitis  
Hoarseness, Severe Coughs or any affection  
of the Throat and Lungs, can get a Trial  
Bottle of this great remedy free, by calling  
at above Drug Store. Regular size \$1.00.

Health is a duty. Disease a crime. Use Dr.  
Henry Baxter's Mandrake Bitters and be  
cured of all biliousness or liver trouble. 25  
cents will buy a large bottle.

### Notice.

Taken into my inclosure, 1 1/2 miles south-  
east of Alpena Mills, three yearling cattle.  
Owner pays costs, and take the cattle away.  
E. M. WATZ.

### For Sale.

One of the most convenient and best ar-  
ranged houses in the village of Paw Paw.  
Turns very reasonable. Call on or address  
291f ASA LANDFELDER,  
Paw Paw, Mich.

### A. W. Hendrick, M. D.

Physician and Surgeon, Paw Paw, Mich.  
Office over Free & Martin's. Special at-  
tention given to diseases of the Lungs, Liver,  
and Kidneys, Private Diseases, Piles and Fe-  
male Complaints—to all Chronic Diseases.  
Dr. Hendrick's long experience, extensive  
practice and incomparable success is a guar-  
anty to his patrons that the best possi-  
ble result may be expected in each and every  
case. 29ly

## Local Department.

Mr. and Mrs. Covert are visiting their son  
Fred.

Geo. F. Bowen Esq., is in town visiting  
his brother.

Who left a pair of spectacles at the North-  
erner office?

Mrs. G. E. Breck is spending a few weeks  
at Harbor Point.

See the schedule of prices advertised this  
week by Joe, the butcher.

Mrs. Philura Palmer has gone to Petosky  
to spend a couple of months.

George Longwell and Frank Davey are  
camping out at Four Mile Lake.

Mrs. Jos. Hanson is very ill. Fears are  
entertained that she may not recover.

See the call for a republican county con-  
vention in another column of this paper.

Henry Sherman has returned to Paw Paw.  
He has been traveling with Burr Robbins's  
show.

The Republican County Committee held a  
meeting in this village on Wednesday of last  
week.

Mr. Wm. E. Hunt returned, on Friday  
last, from an extended trip in the eastern  
states.

The health committee were around the  
other day smelling for nuisances. They  
found some.

Born, to Mrs. Henry Perkins, last Monday  
morning, a son. Hank. feels happy. It is a  
young Republican.

The papers say drunks were numerous in  
Hartford, on the Fourth. We thought Hart-  
ford was a prohibition town.

F. S. Millington, Elmer Harwick, Vet Tap-  
pin, Frank Warren and John Seales are  
camping out at Three Mile Lake.

Jay Cummings has an acoustic this week.  
It is our opinion that the "Ticket" will get  
left, but Jay will be "on top" just the same.

Decatur is seriously considering the advi-  
sability of repealing its prohibitory ordinance.  
Should this be done, it will be a step back-  
ward.

Last Thursday morning Sam. Holmes and  
his wife had a few words, and parted. Mrs.  
H. went to Wisconsin on a visit to friends  
there.

Over at Decatur people complain that their  
gardens are being raided. Evidently some-  
one is trying to "reap where they have not  
sown."

Niles dirtier camp meeting will be held  
on the Crystal Springs camp ground, August  
5th to 15th. I. W. Weber, the boy evangel-  
ist, will have charge.

Married, on Saturday last, at the residence  
of Eli Breece, Chas. J. Howe of Muskegon,  
to Miss Ellen Dotson of Whitehall, Rev. H.  
W. Harvey officiating.

Mrs. Minnie Chatfield of West Bay City,  
is visiting the family of her cousin, the editor  
of the NORTHERNER, and other relatives in the  
western part of the county.

The wheat harvest, in this vicinity, is  
nearly finished. The weather has been ad-  
mirable and most of the crop has been se-  
cured in number one condition.

The champion roller skater, Arthur L. Ball,  
attracted a good deal of attention and won  
merited applause, at the skating rink, on  
Friday and Saturday evenings last.

The NORTHERNER will willingly give space  
to all census notices sent to it. A notice  
printed in our columns will be much better  
than any number of written notices.

John McLain and his family went to his  
farm in Porter, last week, to do their har-  
vesting. John got tired and came home,  
leaving Mrs. McLain, Carrie and Sherm. to  
do the work.

Dr. E. W. Bartram is the happy father of  
a new boy, born last Monday morning.  
Mother and child doing well, and the father  
as well as could be expected under the cir-  
cumstances.

Misses Rhoby, Sabra, and Bertha Herron  
have been visiting friends here. They in-  
tend to accompany their father on a trip  
"up north," after which they will make their  
home in Detroit.

On Sunday morning last, by mistake, Mrs.  
Harry Richards administered a dose of poi-  
son to her husband, instead of the tonic she  
supposed she was giving. Prompt medical  
aid averted serious results.

The Spiritualists and Liberalists of Van-  
Buren county and South-western Michigan  
will hold a camp-meeting at Four Mile Lake  
from July 31st to August 4th, inclusive. An  
admission fee of 10 cents will be charged.

Elder J. H. Reese will preach in the  
Christian church next Lord's day morning.  
Subject, "The Power of Christian Love."  
Also at the union meeting Lord's day even-  
ing. Subject, "Babylon the Great, and  
Christ."

Maj. Gen. D. E. Sikes recently presented  
by request—to the surviving members of  
the Lafayette Light Guard, a very fine full-  
length colored photograph of himself. That  
company was in his brigade and they "swear  
by Sikes."

C. S. Doyen, the illuminated door plate  
man, was in town last Friday. He will not  
visit this place again at present. Parties  
desiring any of his goods can leave their or-  
ders at this office. A sample of the work  
can be seen here.

A. M. Merriman and family, for the last  
12 years residents of California and Wash-  
ington Ty., arrived here July 2d, on a visit to  
their aged parents and other friends. Mrs.  
Hurd, wife of Elder J. Hurd, and sister of  
Mr. Merriman, is also visiting here.

The Veteran, published at Lansing, Mich.,  
by "The Veteran Publishing Company," will  
be transformed into a weekly paper after the  
first of August. Its subscription price will  
still remain at one dollar per year. It is an  
excellent paper for Michigan soldiers.

The editor of the Watervliet Record has  
made a pledge. He says "Henceforth and  
forever we shall endeavor to eat only such  
food as is prepared according to Hygienic  
Principles." We know he was recently mar-  
ried but did not know his wife had such a  
physiological name. He calls her "Hygie" for  
short.

Messrs. Jas. Bennett and E. P. Burroughs  
propose to take the necessary steps to bring  
before the public the virtues of our Chaly-  
beate spring. There is no doubt as to the  
valuable curative properties of its waters,  
and all that is needed to make it a public at-  
traction is the judicious expenditure of a  
little money and considerable energy.

At the last meeting of Paw Paw Lodge, I.  
O. O. F., the following officers were installed  
for the current term: A. G. Higgins, N. G.;  
C. V. Burdick, V. G.; W. M. Snow, Sec.; J.  
L. Tirrell, Treas.; Wm. Reed, P. S.; Ed. Phil-  
lips, War.; O. W. Rowland, Con.; A. F. Mc-  
Neill, I. G.; R. Rogers, O. G.; E. M. Snow, R.  
S. N. G.; C. F. Covert, L. S. N. G.; D. Chap-  
man, R. S. V. G.; Leroy Osborn, L. S. V. G.;  
J. H. Waters, Librarian.

Elder Burns closes his pastoral labors here  
the first of August. During his residence in  
our midst he has won hosts of friends who  
will regret that he is to sever his connection  
with the church at this place. He has ever  
shown himself to be a genial companion, a  
thorough gentleman, an honest upright  
citizen, and an earnest laborer in the Mas-  
ter's vineyard. The best wishes of the  
NORTHERNER, in conjunction with those of  
his numerous friends, will follow him hence.

A few evenings since, Mr. Arthur Clark,  
who, with his mother, occupies a part of Mr.  
C. F. Allen's house, in this village, while  
preparing for bed, placed his lamp on a  
shelf, extinguishing it when he retired. He  
was soon awakened by smoke, and found the  
ceiling of his room on fire, it having been  
ignited by the heat of the lamp before it was  
put out. Mr. C. undertook to smother the  
flames with his bedclothes, but only suc-  
ceeded in burning them up. He then went  
down and got a pail of water, with which he  
succeeded in extinguishing the incipient con-  
flagration. Next time he will not go to bed  
when his room is on fire.

### Clean Up.

At a meeting of the township board of  
health July 11, '84, it was decided best to  
give general notice as well as special ones,  
in order that this locality may be put in as  
healthy a condition as possible before the  
coming sickly period which is now upon us.  
It is therefore ordered, that every person  
who may have upon his premises any nu-  
isance, filth, or source of disease whatever,  
shall remove it before it receives the special  
attention of the board. Signed,  
G. W. YOUNG,  
C. FRED COVERT,  
ELMER L. WARREN,  
WM. H. MASON,  
G. V. HILTON,

Board of Health.

### The Democratic Pow-wow.

On Monday evening last the democrats of  
this vicinity held a ratification meeting at  
the Court House. Every effort had been  
made to get out a crowd, the services of the  
Paw Paw band were secured, anvils were  
fired, the court yard was profusely decorated  
with colored lanterns, dry goods boxes and  
tar barrels were piled in the street for a bon-  
fire, fireworks were provided, a glee club was  
organized, and O. W. Powers of Kalamazoo,  
and Prosecuting Attorney Turner of Grand  
Rapids imported to address the faithful.

As a matter of course all these prepara-  
tions attracted a good many people, and the  
result was a fair sized audience. The meet-  
ing was opened by a few remarks from Mr.  
E. A. Blackman, the chairman, who alluded  
most feelingly to the great crime of '76. He  
forgot, however, to mention that the electo-  
ral commission, which perpetrated what  
democrats are pleased to denominate a crime  
and a fraud, was a democratic measure, origi-  
nated by democrats, in a democratic House,  
and passed by democratic votes.

He was followed by Mr. Powers who is  
quite a pleasant speaker, but not an orator  
by any means. He did not discuss the is-  
sues that are before the people, but spent  
most of his time in describing the beauties  
of the "great Chicago convention," defend-  
ing the past record of Mr. Cleveland, urging  
fusion between the democrats and green-  
backers of this state—he didn't even allude  
to the manner in which the idea of Butler  
and fusion was ignored at Chicago—and in  
urging the claims of Mr. Yapple, the free-  
trader, as a fusion candidate for congress in  
this district.

The next speaker was C. L. Fitch Esq.,  
of this village, who really waxed eloquent, made  
some happy hits, told some good stories, and  
received a good deal more applause, than did  
Mr. Powers; in fact, he made much the bet-  
ter speech of the two.

Harry Longwell and E. R. Annable were  
next called for but they failed to materialize.  
Mr. J. E. Jordan then came forward and  
delivered an address, a very good one, con-  
sidering the cause he was trying to uphold,  
but it certainly did not possess "the soul of  
wit," brevity. He, also, was the recipient of  
considerable applause, and said some things  
very pleasing to the old hard-heads.

A good many retired at the close of his  
address, the chairman trying to hold the  
crowd by stating that the next speech  
would be the best of all—a statement, by the  
way, which proved to be wide of the truth.

The glee club, consisting of Messrs. G. W.  
Koons and C. H. Mosier, Miss Etta Hopping,  
organist, sang "The Flag that Waved a Hun-  
dred Years"—that was not the democratic  
flag, that flag waved four years, over the  
Southern confederacy—after which Attorney  
Turner of Grand Rapids, was introduced,  
and proceeded to deliver a long harangue  
far exceeded "imported eloquence," and all  
will be ready to attend the next ratification,  
glorification, jubilee, pow-wow, or whatever  
else it may be called.

A large proportion of the audience consist-  
ed of Republicans who were attracted to the  
meeting by a curiosity to hear what might be  
said. Most of them thought "home talent"  
far exceeded "imported eloquence," and all  
will be ready to attend the next ratification,  
glorification, jubilee, pow-wow, or whatever  
else it may be called.

### Extracts From Exchanges.

Fred Goss, who suddenly and quietly dis-  
appeared a year ago, has as suddenly and as  
quietly returned. He came home Friday  
night. The biographical sketch of his ad-  
ventures is not yet ready for publication.—  
Reflector.

The members of Trumpet Notes band are  
loud in their praise of the citizens of Paw  
Paw for the manner in which they were  
treated by them. The boys say they were  
never so well treated before, and feel under  
obligations to their entertainers.—Elkhart  
Review.

Borrowing is drawn out to a pretty fine  
point sometimes, but a farmer capped the  
climax one day this week when he called at  
Hinkley's market and wanted to borrow a  
soup bone, saying he was going to butcher  
in a few days, when he would pay him back.  
—Day Spring.

Decatur mathematicians are puzzling their  
brains over a question propounded to them  
by the census enumerator. How can a  
woman be 31 years old and her mother only  
40? These are nevertheless the ages given  
by a Decatur mother and her daughter when  
interviewed by the enumerator.—Decatur  
Republican.

The dwelling of Mr. Lewis Shumway of  
Cascos, was struck by lightning during the  
storm on the evening of the 3d. Mr. and  
Mrs. Shumway were fortunately absent at  
a neighbor's, but on returning one hour later  
found the hired man still in an unconscious  
condition, as a result of the severe shock.  
The fluid entered near the gable, but did  
little damage to the building.—Messenger.

Hon. S. A. McAlvay of Nashville, Tenn.,  
one of the best colored orators of the coun-  
try, has been engaged to deliver the oration  
in this village on Emancipation Day. The  
citizens of the village are making arrange-  
ments to entertain the largest crowd of  
people that ever assembled here, as the first  
of August is bound to be the biggest time  
of the season.—Hartford cor. Decatur Republi-  
can.

The Van Buren County Battalion, G. A.  
R., elected officers for the ensuing year as  
follows: C. W. Peters, Bangor, Colonel; J.  
S. Hicks, South Haven, Lieutenant Colonel;  
Wm. Horton, Hartland, Major; H. A. Stark-  
weather, Bloomington, Quartermaster; S.  
Smith, Bangor, Chaplain; Dr. J. S. Andrews,  
Paw Paw, Surgeon. It was decided to hold  
the next reunion about the 20th of June,  
1885, the place for meeting to be located by  
the field officers.—Messenger.

Another case of careless shooting occurred  
last Sunday afternoon. While Mrs. G. W.  
Smith was quietly sitting in their parlor a  
rifle ball came crashing through the window  
and blind and fell upon the floor near by.  
Mr. Smith investigated the matter, and found  
two men in a field between his house and the  
Lake of the Woods, who had shot at a bird,  
evidently without any precautions whatever  
as to where the ball might strike. Little at-  
tention is paid to this reckless shooting, but